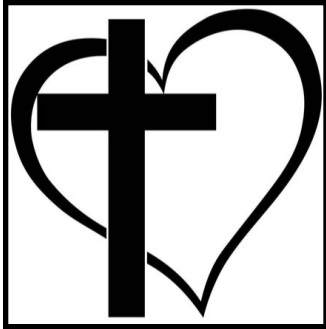


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ST. GREGORY PARISH HOLY TRINITY PARISH

Mass Schedule

Monday	8:00am	Holy Trinity
Tuesday	8:00am	Holy Trinity
Wednesday	8:00am	St. Gregory
Thursday	8:00am	St. Gregory
Saturday	4:00pm	St. Gregory
Sunday	8:00am	Holy Trinity
	10:00am	St. Gregory
	7:00pm	Holy Trinity

* Rosary begins 30 minutes before each Mass *

Confessions

Saturday	3:00pm	St. Gregory
Sunday	7:30am	Holy Trinity
	6:30pm	Holy Trinity

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Sacraments

Baptism, Marriage: Call the Parish Office
Anointing of the Sick: Call the Parish Office

Holy Trinity Council Members

Parish Council: Miranda Arnold, Nancy Augustine, Jan Bennin, Mike Kleczewski, David Koenig, Donald Kupinski, William O'Neil, Scott Faust—Secretary Trustee

Finance Council: Jim Augustine, Wayne Bennin, Paul Binversie, Dennis Graf, Mike Herzog, Doug Schneider, Pamela Post—Treasurer Trustee

St. Gregory Council Members

Parish Council: Jean Blattner, Melissa Frost, Julie Galien, Jeff Satori, Roseann Schuchardt, Tre Waldren, Theresa Zimmermann, Steve Noworatzky—Secretary Trustee

Finance Council: Allen Dietrich, Amy Faucett, Tom Hoban, Liz Kenneke, Tom Kopanski, Steve Lenzner, Jan Reindl—Treasurer Trustee

BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Worship Schedule

Saturday Jan 11—Christmas Weekday
4pm SG + Joanne Koeppen Mueller

Sunday Jan 12—Baptism of the Lord
8am HT + Dean Bennin
10am SG People of Holy Trinity & St. Gregory Parishes
7pm HT + George & Rita Linzmeier

Tuesday Jan 14—Weekday
8am HT Larry Steffen Family

Wednesday Jan 15—Weekday
8am SG + Donna Reznichuk

Thursday Jan 16—Weekday
6pm HT Charles & Sandra Thiel Family

Friday Jan 17—St. Anthony, Abbot
8am SG Jerry & Debra Christel

Saturday Jan 18—Weekday
4pm SG + Harry & Daisy Burkart

Sunday Jan 19—Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
8am HT + Eugene Binversie
10am SG + Victor Dewane
7pm HT People of Holy Trinity & St. Gregory Parishes

January 13—January 19
Sanctuary Candles
are burning in memory/honor of:

HT: Eugene Binversie
SG: Seminarians, Missionaries

Liturgical Ministers

January 18 & 19

Greeters:
4pm SG: Jim & Mary Bonde
8am HT: Dennis & Lois Albright
10am SG: Mary Ann Ristow
7pm HT: Volunteers

Readers:
4pm SG: Tom Kopanski
8am HT: Mary Valukas
10am SG: Mary Seichter
7pm HT: Mason Schneider

Extra Ordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:
4pm SG: Deacon Gary, Jean Blattner
8am HT: Deacon Gary, Randy Neils
10am SG: Deacon Gary, Steve Noworatzky
7pm HT: Deacon Gary

Ushers:
4pm SG: Jim Bonde, Mark Kenneke
8am HT: Joseph Meyer, Tom Knier, Glenn Neils
10am SG: Kieth Biese, Lyle Schwoerer
7pm HT: Volunteers

Servers:
4pm SG: Cecelia DeBruin
8am HT: Landon Herzog, Sullivan Koenig
10am SG: Sawyer Pitz, Sydney Pitz
7pm HT: Matt Schneider

Scrip:
4pm SG: Marlene Zutz
8am HT: Nancy Augustine
10am SG: Pam Lenzner

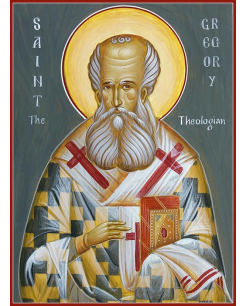
Parish News

The January Issue of Word Among Us is available at church.

The Women's Study Winter Session, Dwell—A Study of the Eucharist for Women, will begin Wednesday, January 15. There will be a morning session offered at St. Gregory and an evening session at Holy Trinity. Attend the session that works best in your schedule. Please contact St. Gregory Parish Office to register in advance so materials can be ordered and prepared prior to the first class.

The Holy Relic of St. Gregory of Nazianzus

In honor of St. Gregory of Nazianzus's feast day (January 2), a holy relic is displayed at the front of church. St. Gregory, an eastern saint, is best known for his teachings of the Trinity. The relic is on loan from Holy Resurrection Monastery.



What is a Relic?

Relics include the physical remains of a saint (or of a person who is considered holy but not yet officially canonized) as well as other objects which have been "sanctified" by being touched to his body. These relics are divided into two classes: First class or real relics include the physical body parts, clothing, and instruments connected with a martyr's imprisonment, torture, and execution. Second class or representative relics are those which the faithful have touched to the physical body parts or grave of the saint. Relics remind us of the holiness of a saint and his cooperation in God's work; at the same time, relics inspire us to ask for the prayers of that saint and to beg the grace of God to live the same kind a faith-filled life.

<https://catholicstraightanswers.com/what-are-relics/>

Bulletin Deadline Bulletin submissions must be received the Tuesday two weeks prior to the date of print.
January 25 & 26 Bulletin
Submission Deadline is Tuesday, January 12.



Holy Trinity Stewardship for January 5, 2025

	Weekly	Fiscal Year Budget
Envelopes	\$ 1,620.00	\$124,800.00
Loose	\$ 201.87	\$ 15,500.00
Total	\$ 1,821.87	\$140,300.00
Support Budget/Week	\$ 2,700.00	\$ 70,279.13 received for year
Difference This Week	\$ -878.13	\$ 70,020.87 needed by 6/30/25

Green Sunday: \$0.00
Christmas: \$2,672.25
Solemnity of Mary: \$793.66

St. Gregory Stewardship: January 4 & 5, 2025

	Weekly	Fiscal Year Budget
Envelopes	\$3,607.00	\$182,850.00
Loose	\$ 305.05	\$ 22,372.00
Total Env. & Loose	\$3,912.05	\$205,222.00
Support Budget/Week	\$3,946.58	\$ 95,195.10 received for year
Difference this Week	- \$ 34.53	\$110,026.90 needed by 6/30/25

Total January Green Sunday: \$0.00
Christmas: \$4,854.00
Solemnity of Mary: \$519.00



Dates to Remember

- Mon Jan 13** Caring Hearts & Hands Mtg 1pm SG
- Tues Jan 14** SG Finance Council 6pm; Pastoral Council Mtg 7pm
- Wed Jan 15** Women's Study Winter Session Begins
- Tues Jan 21** Food Pantry noon SG
- Tues Jan 21** HT Finance Council 6pm; Pastoral Council Mtg 7:15pm
- Jan 25 & 26** Second Collection: Green Sunday
- Tues Jan 28** Joint Liturgy Meeting SG 5:30pm



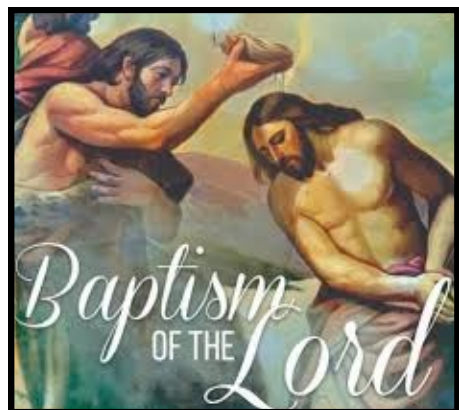
Thoughts for Today's Readings

To the Point: When Jesus is baptized, he does not need its cleansing aspect. He is free from sin and does not need the repentance that John's baptism signified. At Jesus' baptism, he adds a dimension to the practice, elevating it from human devotional practice to sacrament of God's grace. Baptism still signifies repentance and is still cleansing; it removes the stain of original sin and restores us to right relationship with God. It is *also*, now, the means by which God adopts us as children and coheirs with Christ. Although it may not be as clear as in this gospel story, at all our baptisms, the heavens open, the Spirit descends, and God declares us beloved children in whom God is well pleased.

To Experience: For those of us were baptized as infants, it can be challenging to claim our baptismal identity. While infant baptism is a good thing, affirming the humanity and belovedness of the youngest among us, it is challenging that the most important day of our lives is lost in our memories. It can be fruitful to hear the testimony of adult converts, who chose baptism more freely and who made their own vows to follow Christ.

1. Share something about the last baptism you attended. Recall how you saw God present there.
2. What does your baptismal identity mean to you? How do you live out the vows that you made (or your parents made on your behalf) at your baptism?
3. How do you experience God's ongoing work of creative restoration? How can you partner with God in renewing the world and infusing it with beauty and goodness?

Source: *Living Liturgy 2025*, Liturgical Press



Mass Readings for Week of January 13—January 19

	<u>Readings</u>	<u>Gospel</u>
Mon/Jan 13	Hebrews 1:1-6	Mark 1:14-20
Tues/Jan 14	Hebrews 2:5-12	Mark 1:21-28
Wed/Jan 15	Hebrews 2:14-18	Mark 1:29-39
Thurs/Jan 16	Hebrews 3:7-14	Mark 1:40-45
Fri/Jan 17	Hebrews 4:1-5, 11	Mark 2:1-12
Sat/Jan 18	Hebrews 4:12-16	Mark 2:13-17
Sun/Jan 19	Isaiah 62:1-5 I Corinthians 12:4-11	John 2:1-11



Dear Friends in Christ,

This Sunday, we celebrate the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord, commemorating Jesus' baptism in the Jordan River by John the Baptist. This significant event marks the beginning of Jesus' public ministry and serves as a profound reminder of our own baptismal promises.

In the first reading, the prophet Isaiah proclaims a message of comfort and hope, announcing the coming of the Lord who will shepherd His people with care. This reading reminds us that through baptism, we are brought into a relationship with God, who lovingly guides and strengthens us on our journey.

St. Paul, in today's second reading, reminds us that the grace of God has appeared, bringing salvation to all. Through the waters of baptism, we are reborn and renewed by the Holy Spirit, called to live upright and godly lives while awaiting the blessed hope of eternal life.

In the Gospel, we hear of Jesus' baptism, where the heavens open, the Holy Spirit descends like a dove, and the voice of the Father declares, "You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased." This event highlights the transformative power of baptism, calling us to live as beloved children of God.

As we reflect on these readings, let us renew our commitment to our baptismal promises:

Reject Sin: Turn away from anything that separates us from God's love.

Embrace Grace: Live as people transformed by the saving grace of Jesus Christ.

Be a light to others: Share the love and mercy of Christ with everyone we encounter.

May this feast enkindle in us the joy of our baptism and inspire us to live out our faith with hope, love, and service.

*In Christ,
Father Josuva*



DWELL

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**Upcoming
January
Events**

Parish Mission & Vision Statements

Help Reinvigorate Our Parishes! Holy Trinity & St. Gregory Pastoral Councils are joining together to compose a combined Parish Mission and Vision statements. Two volunteers from each parish are needed to join the development team discussion starting early 2025. Please contact either parish office if you are interested.

Holy Trinity 24th Annual Perch Fry February 21, 2025



Raffle Donations will continue to be accepted, but will not be listed on the raffle ticket. However, they will be acknowledged on signage and winner notifications. Cash, gift cards, or gift certificates are preferred. Donations can be given to any committee member or dropped off at the parish office.
Sign up Sheets for working and grocery donations are at the back of church. Sign up early to get the spot you want!
Raffle Tickets coming soon!

Next Meeting:
January 13 @ 6pm

Thank you for giving of your time and talent towards the annual Perch Fry!
-Perch Fry Committee



St. Gregory Parish

Weekday Masses, Events, & Office Hours

During the week, St. Gregory Parish will follow the Valders School District to determine cancellation of daily Mass, scheduled events and office closure. If the schools are delayed, our schedule will NOT change.

Weekend Masses & Events

Cancellation of weekend Masses and events will be on local TV and radio stations. If weather appears questionable, please tune in to a local station.

Closures will be listed as: St. Gregory Parish, St. Nazianz

Holy Trinity Parish

Weekday Masses, Events, & Office Hours

During the week, Holy Trinity Parish will follow the Kiel School District to determine cancellation of daily Mass, scheduled events and office closure. If the schools are delayed, our schedule will NOT change.

Weekend Masses & Events

Cancellation of weekend Masses and events will be on local TV and radio stations. If weather appears questionable, please tune in to a local station.

Closures will be listed as: Holy Trinity Parish, School Hill

WEEKEND OF JANUARY 11 & 12, 2025

Pray for the Sick:

Mary Mueller, Kay Binversie, Fritz Koeppen, Mary Jo Koeppen, Jim Riesterer, Ken Schmidt, Julie Binversie, John McDonald, Pauline DeLong, Bernard (Bud) Dewane, Tony B, Bev Jenkins, Travis Elliott

To **add or remove** a name from this listing, a **family member** should call your Parish Office-SG: 773-2511 or HT: 773-2380 Thank you.



**YOU ARE MY BELOVED.
WITH YOU I AM WELL PLEASED.**

LUKE 3:22



Fall Feast Final Numbers



The Catholic Order of Foresters was a sponsor of the annual Fall Feast raffle. A \$1,500 check was recently presented to St. Gregory Parish through their matching funds program. Thank you—we are so grateful!

\$8,473.05 Raffle Profit
\$6,192.35 Dinner Profit
 \$14,655.40 Event profit

Thank you to all who purchased tickets and a special thank you to the event sponsors and volunteers! We couldn't have done without you!

Legacy Gifts to St. Gregory Parish

Current projects for donation consideration:



- Church Ceiling Rib Repairs & Paint
- Air Conditioning for Church
- Parish Sound System

For additional projects to consider, please contact the parish office.

Indoor Walking Available SG Parish Center is open for walking. Hours are Mon-Thurs 8am-noon and Mon-Wed 12:30pm-4pm (please call in advance for the afternoon to guarantee access and availability).



Looking for a winter activity? The pickleball courts in the SG Parish Center gym are available for rent. Never played before? Equipment is available to use and rules are available for reference. Call the parish office for availability.

HOLY TRINITY SCRIP PROGRAM

SCRIP is sold in parish office:
 Monday—Thursday 8am-Noon
 Before and after 8am Mass on Sunday

Scrip Coordinator questions~920-773-2380

Sales ending January 5 — \$1,740 (includes online sales)
 Profits ending January 5 — \$70.00 (includes online sales)

Thank you to all who continue to purchase SCRIP!

ST. GREGORY SCRIP

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 Monday—Thursday 8am-Noon
 After Masses Saturday and Sunday

Scrip Coordinators:
 Marlene Zutz 920-901-4581
 Sue Popp 920-773-2319

Scrip sales for week ending January 5: \$3,825.00
 3% (average) profit to the parish: \$114.75

Thank you to our Scrip purchasers!



PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR TROOPS

The following parish family members are serving our nation in the **Armed Forces**:

Jesse Augustine, Kurt Binversie, Sydney Binversie, Connor Faucett, Dustin Koenig, Matthew Koenig, Samuel Koenig, Adam Satori, Anton Simon

Please contact the parish office to add or remove a family member.



Parish Outreach

SG Prayer Line: Contact the parish office.

SG Nursing Home/Assisted Living: Melissa Frost 773-3270

SG Caring Hearts & Hands: Melissa Frost 773-3270

SG Food Pantry: Faye Riesterer at 773-2422

HT Prayer Line: Call the parish office.

Would you like to receive Communion at home?

St. Gregory parishioners please contact: Mary Olig 775-4756 or the parish office 773-2511.

Holy Trinity parishioners please contact: Dennis and Karen Graf 693-8700 or the parish office 920-773-2380.

HT Christian Women Calendar Winners are...

Dec 29 - \$30	Lois Albright, Kiel	#066
Dec 30 - \$20	Chuck Halbach, Malone	#1285
Dec 31 - \$20	Janet Vander Graaf, Kiel	#305
Jan 1 - \$100	Larry Steffen, Kiel	#1463
Jan 2 - \$20	Rosie Bartel, Chilton	#208
Jan 3 - \$20	Bryce Valukas, St. Nazianz	#1508
Jan 4 - \$20	Mike Wolfert, New Franklin	#1027

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